IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Application for:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

Dear Sir/Madam:

This communication is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 28, 2006 (hereinafter "Office Action"). Applicant respectfully request reconsideration of the captioned application in view of the remarks to follow.

Amendments to the Claims starts on page **2** of this response to the Office Action.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this response to the Office Action.